IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA

| In re: | | |
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| Sparc Foundry, LLC | Chapter 7 | |
| | Case No | 24-02116-eg |
| Debtor. | Case No. | 24-02110-0g |

ORDER AUTHORIZING EMPLOYMENT OF LEGAL COUNSEL UNDER A CONTINGENCY FEE BASIS

Upon the annexed application of Janet B. Haigler, Trustee for the above estate, praying for authority to employ and appoint, as legal counsel, Rikard + Protopapas LLC, 2110 N. Beltline Blvd., Columbia, SC 29204, under a contingency fee basis, plus costs, to represent the Trustee regarding certain avoidance actions and related claims and it appearing that no notice of a hearing on said application should be given, and no adverse interest having been represented, and it further appearing that Rikard + Protopapas LLC has no interest adverse to the debtor, creditors, any other party in interest, their respective attorneys and accountants, the United States Trustee, or any person employed by the United States Trustee, that the employment is necessary and will be in the best interests of the case, and that the case is one justifying a contingency basis for services rendered and to be rendered, it is

ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that Janet B. Haigler, Trustee, be, and she hereby is, authorized to employ Rikard + Protopapas LLC as her legal counsel for the purpose described in the annexed application. Employment is effective from the date of the filing of the application. Rikard + Protopapas LLC is retained on a contingency fee basis, plus costs. Legal counsel's compensation shall be set by the Court according to 11 U.S.C. §330(a) and, therefore, may be different from the terms of compensation discussed by the Trustee and legal counsel.